

## Recovery Plan Action Status

**Plan Name: Draft Revised Recovery Plan for the Yuma Clapper Rail**

**Plan Status: Draft Revision 1**

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Species	Action Priority #	Action #	Action Description	Action Status	Est. Initiation Date	Est. Completion Date	Responsible Parties	Work Type	Labor Type	Action Comments
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	3	1.2.1	Continue annual surveys on Federal and State core habitat areas.	Ongoing Current			Recovery Implementation Team	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	Each cooperating agency including FWS will provide funds for staff field work.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	3	1.2.2	Continue or implement official surveys in other occupied habitat areas outside the core areas.	Ongoing Current			Arizona Game and Fish Department	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	This will enable these non-core routes to be added to the official survey.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	3	1.2.3	Coordination of annual survey effort and modifications to routes, protocols, and reporting.	Ongoing Current			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	AESFO will continue to coordinate surveys and distribute results to cooperators.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	3	1.2.3.1	Provide survey training for personnel from official survey cooperating agencies.	Ongoing Not Current			Recovery Implementation Team	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	USGS-Arizona Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Research Unit has provided this training for agency cooperators in the past.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	2	2.1.1	Refine suitable habitat parameters for summer, winter, and relation to home range sizes.	Ongoing Current	FY 2009	FY 2011	Recovery Implementation Team	Work type not yet selected	Graduate Student	Rails are known to use habitats differently over the course of a year.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	2	2.2.1	Evaluation of patch size and physical configuration of habitats.	Ongoing Current			Recovery Implementation Team	Work type not yet selected	Graduate Student	Funded by Showing Success Grant from USFWS.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	1	3.1	Develop and implement management plans on Federal and State-owned core habitat areas.	Ongoing Current			Arizona Game and Fish Department	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	Costs are primarily for development of plans and projects. Implementation costs are unknown.
Yuma clapper rail (Rallus longirostris yumanensis)	2	3.2	Document water rights for core habitats on the LCR.	Ongoing Current			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	Ensure adequate water is available to provide for suitable habitat.

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Yuma clapper rail ( <i>Rallus longirostris yumanensis</i> )	1	3.2.1	Acquire secure water rights for Sonny Bono Salton Sea NWR.	Ongoing Current			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	Will require extensive negotiation and development of agreements with the final costs unknown.
Yuma clapper rail ( <i>Rallus longirostris yumanensis</i> )	1	3.2.2	Acquire secure water rights for IWA at Salton Sea.	Ongoing Current			California Department of Fish and Game	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	Same as 3.2.1
Yuma clapper rail ( <i>Rallus longirostris yumanensis</i> )	2	3.3	Provide protection for other breeding habitats and movement corridors in the U.S.	Ongoing Current			U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Arizona Game and Fish Department, California Department of Fish and Game, Nevada Department of Wildlife, U.S. Bureau of Reclamation , Utah Division of Wildlife Resources	Work type not yet selected	Labor type not yet selected	Same as 3.2.1. Likely to be part of second five year implementation schedule.